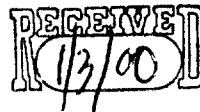




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December 10, 1999

Dr. Elizabeth Yetley
Office of Special Nutritionals
Food and Drug Administration
200 C Street SW
Washington D.C. 20204

Dear Dr. Yetley:

We are offering for sale the following product Pure Gels Hawthorne Berry Extract, with the following Structure/Function claim: Promotes a Healthy Heart.

The FDA disclaimer will also appear on the label.

Sincerely,

Katie Ferren
Marketing Director

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